



TRIP TO CAPE TOWN 2010

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Travel Diary : March 1. 2010 - March 27. 2010

Before the trip... plans

Dear Diary

Today on the television, I watched a travel guide program called Around the world, which enticed me that I should travel to other countries during my vacation. I watched the program and I found out that I should be going to Cape Town, South Africa for my spring break. The program showed me places to visit, hotels, food, and cultures. This attracted me, and yes, I have decided to go to Cape Town. When I first asked my mother, she didn't let me go, however I convinced her that it is a great place to travel and that it is safe there. My mother finally had made up a decision and she said would let me go. She decided to give me a limited amount of money which was 4,000 US dollars. So after I got permission from my parents, I ran to my computer for some more information about flight tickets, hotels, and etc. Well here is what I have found so far:

- 1) Flight Tickets: There are not direct flight to Cape Town from Seoul. I have to go to Hong Kong first and from there I have to go to Johannesburg which is in South Africa. From Hong Kong to Johannesburg, it will take a long time therefore day one of my trip would be in a plane. From there I can take a short break for about 3 hours and after I can go to Cape Town.
- 2) Hotel: I found a great deal of flight + hotel on the internet. The hotel is located next to the Hout Bay therefore the view from my room is going to be great. The hotel is a 4 star hotel. The hotel is called "Seacliffe Lodge".
- 3) I will be going to Johannesburg for the last 4 days and from there I will go back to Cape Town and come back to Korea. I will be going by a plane to Johannesburg and I will stay at a motel.
- 4) I will visit some museums in Johannesburg and Cape Town. I will also go to some significant physical geography places such as mountains, deserts, and rivers.
- 5) I will buy some souvenirs for my parents. There are some famous food there so I can buy some of those for my parents.

Flight: 1 roundtrip ticket

Traveling to Cape Town

Mon 1-Mar-10
Seoul (ICN) Depart 7:45 pm

to **Hong Kong (HKG)**
Arrive 10:35 pm
Terminal 1

1,295 mi
(2,084 km)
Duration: 3hr 50mn

Flight: 7215
Operated by: ASIANA AIRLINES

Economy/Coach Class, Boeing 747-400
Please check in with Asiana Airlines. If checking in at a kiosk, use your name rather than confirmation number.

Hong Kong (HKG)
Depart 11:50 pm
Terminal 2

to **Johannesburg (JNB)**
Arrive 7:15 am **+1 day**
Terminal A

6,641 mi
(10,688 km)
Duration: 13hr 25mn

Flight: 287
Operated by: SOUTH AFRICAN AIRWAYS

Economy/Coach Class, AIRBUS INDUSTRIE A340-600

Tue 2-Mar-10
Johannesburg (JNB) Depart 11:40 am
Terminal B

to **Cape Town (CPT)**
Arrive 1:50 pm

788 mi
(1,268 km)
Duration: 2hr 10mn

Flight: 325
Operated by: SOUTH AFRICAN AIRWAYS

Economy/Coach Class, Snack, Boeing 737-800

Total distance: 8,724 mi (14,040 km)

Total duration: 19hr 25mn (25hr 5mn with connections)

Traveling to Seoul

Sat 27-Mar-10
Cape Town (CPT) Depart 8:50 am

to **Johannesburg (JNB)**
Arrive 10:50 am
Terminal B

788 mi
(1,268 km)
Duration: 2hr 0mn

Flight: 316
Operated by: SOUTH AFRICAN AIRWAYS

Economy/Coach Class, Breakfast, Boeing 737-800

Johannesburg (JNB)
Depart 4:55 pm
Terminal B

to **Hong Kong (HKG)**
Arrive 12:15 pm **+1 day**
Terminal 1

6,641 mi
(10,688 km)
Duration: 13hr 20mn

Flight: 286
Operated by: SOUTH AFRICAN AIRWAYS

Economy/Coach Class, AIRBUS INDUSTRIE A340-600

Sun 28-Mar-10
Hong Kong (HKG) Depart 1:30 pm
Terminal 1

to **Seoul (ICN)**
Arrive 5:50 pm

1,295 mi
(2,084 km)
Duration: 3hr 20mn

Flight: 7216
Operated by: ASIANA AIRLINES

Economy/Coach Class, Boeing 747-400

Total distance: 8,724 mi (14,040 km)

Total duration: 18hr 40mn (26hr 0mn with connections)

Plane Tickets, Hotel, Visa

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Flight: **287**

Economy/Coach Class, AIRBUS INDUSTRIE A340-600

Tue 2-Mar-10

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Depart 11:40 am Arrive 1:50 pm Terminal B Duration: 2hr 10mn
Flight: **325**

Economy/Coach Class, Snack, Boeing 737-800
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Depart 8:50 am Arrive 10:50 am Terminal B Duration: 2hr 0mn
Flight: **316**

Economy/Coach Class, Breakfast, Boeing 737-800

Johannesburg (JNB) to **Hong Kong (HKG)** 6,641 mi (10,688 km)
Depart 4:55 pm Arrive 12:15 pm +1 day Terminal B Duration: 13hr 20mn
Flight: **286**

Economy/Coach Class, AIRBUS INDUSTRIE A340-600

Sun 28-Mar-10

Hong Kong (HKG) to **Seoul (ICN)** 1,295 mi (2,084 km)
Depart 1:30 pm Arrive 5:50 pm Terminal 1 Duration: 3hr 20mn
Flight: **7216**
Operated by: ASIANA AIRLINES

Economy/Coach Class, Boeing 747-400
Total distance: 8,724 mi (14,040 km) Total duration: 18hr 40mn (26hr 0mn with connections)
[Choose a different flight for this package.](#)

Hotel: 1 room for 22 nights

Seacliffe Lodge
☆☆☆☆ Cape Town, South Africa
This Hout Bay property is located near Hout Bay. Another nearby point of interest is Constantiaberg.
[More lodging info](#)

Check-in: Mon 1-Mar-10 Check-out: Tue 23-Mar-10

| Room options | Price |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| 4 Star Luxury (non sea view)-BB | Included |

[Choose a different hotel for this package.](#)

Total: \$2,536.40 Included: ■ Items selected, taxes, & service fees.

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Total price for this trip: \$231.10

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1 Review the flight details

Tue 23-Mar-10

Cape Town (CPT) to **Johannesburg (JNB)** 788 mi (1,268 km)
Depart 5:45 am Arrive 7:45 am Terminal B Duration: 2hr 0mn
Flight: **378**

Economy/Coach Class, Breakfast, Airbus A319

Total distance: 788 mi (1,268 km)

Total duration: 2hr 0mn

Sat 27-Mar-10

Johannesburg (JNB) to **Cape Town (CPT)** 788 mi (1,268 km)
Depart 7:00 pm Arrive 9:10 pm Terminal B Duration: 2hr 10mn
Flight: **367**

Economy/Coach Class, Dinner, Boeing 737-800

Total distance: 788 mi (1,268 km)

Total duration: 2hr 10mn

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Guesthouse

From **\$59** p/person
From **\$30** p/person sharing
From **\$86** p/unit
Maximum guests: **1818**

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Currency in



Total money for plane + visa + hotel

2536.40 dollars + 231.10 dollars + 120 dollars + 235 dollars = 3122.50 dollars

4000.00 dollars - 3122.50 dollars = 877.50 dollars

South African visa

5 days

R425.00 or
US\$47 or €43

Day 1:Plane, March 1.2010



Dear Diary

So finally, today is my day for leaving to Cape Town. Right now I am sitting in my plane doing absolutely nothing. This is my 17th hour on the plane and only two hours left until Cape Town! So basically what I did the whole day was watching movies on the plane. I couldn't sleep a lot because I am very sensitive about where I sleep. Well heres what happened today. Well I woke up at 11 o'clock and met my friends until 4. At 4, I returned to my house to pack my back for the trip. At 5, I left to the airport and I arrived at the airport at about 6 o'clock. I checked in with my plane tickets and I walked around the airport because i had some spare time. I got on the plane at 7:30PM and the plane took off at 7:45PM. After about 3 hours I

Total money used today: Taxi + food in airport + Coffee with friends

30 dollars + 20 dollars + 10 dollars = 60 dollars

877.50 dollars - 60 dollars = 817.50 dollars

arrived in Hong Kong, my first stop.

I had about an hour to spend in the Hong Kong airport, therefore I decided to eat something there.

After my short snack time I got on to my plane to Johannesburg.

The Plane took off at 11:50PM and I arrived in Johannesburg at about 7:15 AM. It was a long plane ride for about 7 hours. I couldn't sleep therefore I watched about 3 movies. After I got off the plane in Johannesburg, I noticed that I had 3 hours that I had to spend in the airport. I couldn't resist the boredom and decided to make some African friends in the airport. Surprisingly they were very good at English. Well after a long talk in the cafe with my African friends, I got on the plane at 11:40 AM to Cape Town. And now I am writing on this diary.

Schedule, March 1.2010:

1) 11:00AM :

Woke up and washed myself and got ready for the appointment with my friends

2) 12:00 PM ~ 4:00PM

Met with my friends and talked about my trip that i will be going in few hours. Watched movie. Came home at 4:00PM

3) 4:00PM~5:00PM

Packing the bag

4) 5:00PM ~ 6:00 PM

Transportation to the Incheon Airport on taxi.

5) 6:00PM ~7:45 PM

Check in and walking around the terminals.

6) 7:50PM~Now

Flight with first stop Hong



Day 2: Easy day, March 2. 2010



Dear Diary

Hey! I am finally in my hotel room and I am really really tired because I couldn't get enough sleep in my plane trip. I want to go outside and have fun however I am too tired. Right now I am laying down on my bed writing on this diary. I arrived in Cape Town at 7:50 AM, local time, and 1:50 PM, Korea time. I got off the plane and took a taxi to my hotel. Gladly the taxi driver was very kind to me. Therefore I was able to come to my hotel very easily. I talked with the driver all the way to my hotel. Also the rate was

very cheap. I arrived at my hotel at about 11:00 AM. This was because I had difficulties finding my luggage that I had put on the trunk for my plane ride. After I arrived to the hotel I just unpacked my bags and went down to the restaurants for a lunch. I ate some really good traditional South African food. It was some sort of Barbecue. It had a special sauce that was great for me. Now I came up to my room and I want to rest because my plane ride was horrible because I didn't get any rest.

Schedule, March 2. 2010

1) 7:50 AM:

Arrived in Cape Town

2) 8:00 AM ~ 9:00 AM

Passport control and looking for my luggage.

3) 9:00 AM ~ 11:00 AM

Transportation from the airport to the hotel.

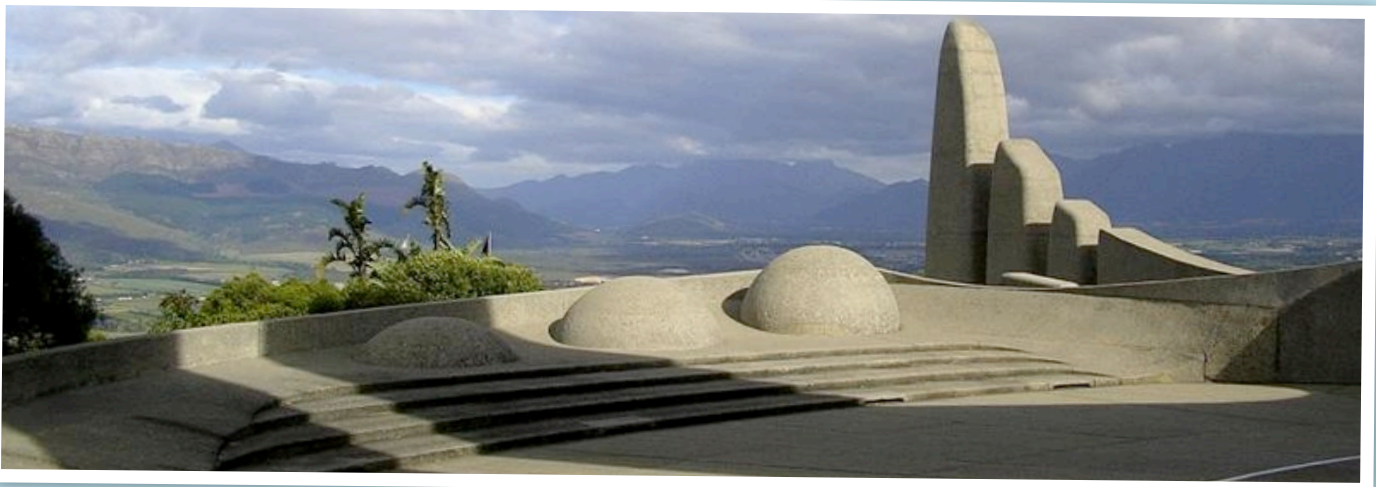
4) 11:00 AM ~ 1:00 PM

Looking for a restaurant, eating the traditional food of South Africa



Total money used today: Taxi + food
30 dollars + 10 dollars = 40 dollars
817.50 dollars - 40 dollars = 777.50 dollars

Day 3: Taal Monument, March 3.2010



Dear Diary

Today, after my long sleep, I woke up at 4:00 AM. I turned on the television and there was a great show about tourist. I think this was on because I am in a hotel. I watched it very carefully and it said that a place that I must visit in South Africa is Taal Monument. Taal monument is a very significant human geographical place. It was build in 1975. Well after watching the television program, I decided to go to Taal Monument for the day to have fun. I went there with a taxi.



Apparently the taxi driver was very interested in Korean culture. Therefore the whole

ride to there, I talked about Korea. I was glad that people in Africa were interested about Korea. When I got to the monument, I saw that the taxi driver had given me a discount. This gave me a give impact about the African people and I thought they were very nice. Well I arrived at the Taal Monument at about 11:00AM. I went in and I found out that it was free for all the access there. I walked in and saw a lot of visitors from other country. Well some little information about the place is that it was built for some language reasons. Because Africans wanted to get their own language they built this monument for a rebellion for the Dutch. As I walked into it, I saw a tall structure. This is the tallest structure in South Africa.

Total money used today: Taxi + food

30 dollars + 15 dollars = 45 dollars

777.50 dollars - 45 dollars = 732.50 dollars

Schedule, March 3.2010

1) 4:00 AM

I woke up and washed myself

2) 5:00AM ~ 7:00AM

started watching television and there was the program playing.

3) 7:30 AM

Had an early break fast

4) 9:00 AM

Went back up to my room and got ready for the trip to Taal.

5) 10:00 AM ~ 11:00 AM

Transportation to the Taal.

6) 11:00 AM ~ 4:00 PM

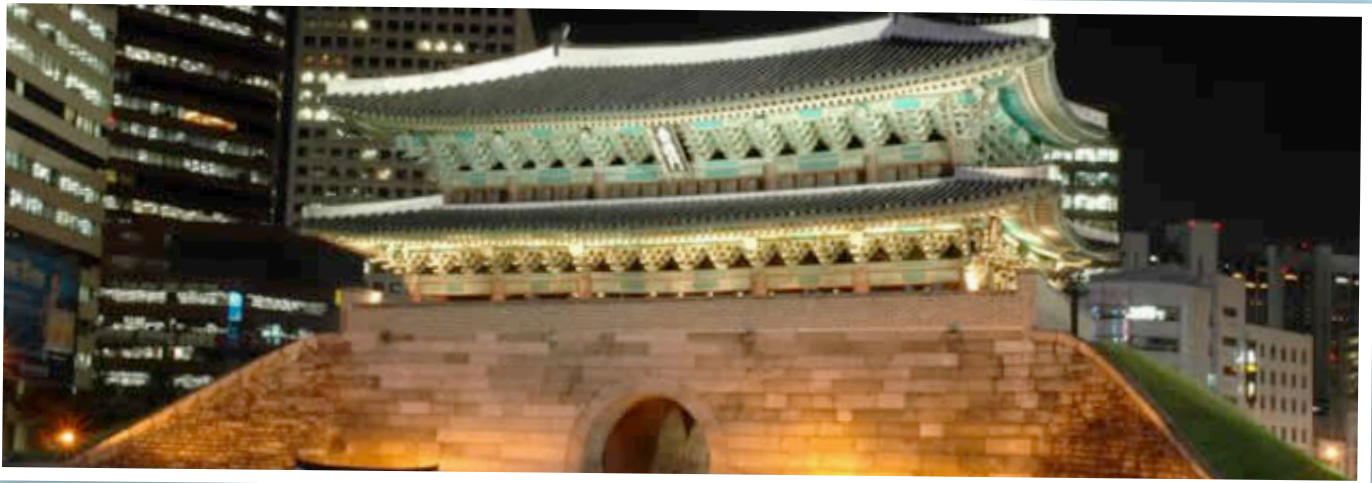
Walking around the Taal monument and had a little lunch.

7) 5:00 PM

Back in the hotel.



Day 4-7: Homesick, March 4 - 7.2010



Dear Diary

I'm sorry that i haven't written for the past few days. For the past few days, I have been home sick. I miss Korea too much and I can't eat the food here. However this is just part of my trip therefore I will have to just stand for it. I will be okay fine because I know this happens to a lot of people and actually I am feeling much better. While I was sick I watched some African Culture like program. It was describing what people do in Africa, African Music, food, and a lot of different things. For music, they played an song and I found it very interesting. It had a lot of drum beats into it. I loved how they would all dance to the beat because in Korea, people never like to dance and we don't have musics

like these. Also the people in Africa are one of the most kind people in the world. I never knew this but on the television it talked about how they always smile and are nice. Well I am tired right now so I will write tomorrow when I feel much better.

Schedule, March 4-7

* I could not record every single thing I did.

* I just stayed at my hotel room for some rest.

* I watched a lot of television during these days.



Total money used 3 days: Food + Snacks

60 dollars + 20 dollars = 80 dollars

723.50 dollars - 80 dollars = 643.50 dollars

Day 8:Music, March 8.2010



Dear Diary.

Well today I felt much better when i first woke up. Therefore I decided to look for some kind of music festival that was going to happen today because the television program hooked me with African Music and I am interested to watch some kind of show of Music. Well this morning I woke up, had breakfast, and I looked up for a Music Festival here in Cape Town. Well there was one at 2:00 PM, and it was called "Beats of hearts." I decided to go there therefore I got ready to leave right away. I got dressed up and left to the festival. I found out that it wasn't that far away therefore I decided to walk all the way to there. It took me about 1 hour to walk there. When I got there, there was a huge line because there were tour groups coming in at the same time. I

waited in line and got my tickets. I went into the show and the lights were really outstanding. The show started and the performers were wearing very colorful clothes. There were many drummers and they sang the melody. It sounded like electronic sounds but it was all from their mouths. I was surprised because they were able to tap the drum very fast and the drum beat was making my heart pump. After the show I decided to walk back to the hotel and I had fun.



Schedule , March 8.2010

1) 9:00 AM

Woke up and took a shower and got dressed for breakfast

2) 10:00 AM

Went to an restaurant for breakfast and had a delicious breakfast.

3) 11:00 AM

Came back to the room to research about the festival and decided to go there

4) 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Walking to the festival place with a map.

5) 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Waiting in line and getting the ticket.

6) 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Music Festival called Beats of hearts

7) 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Walking back to the hotel from the music festival.

Total money used today: Tickets + food

35 dollars + 20 dollars = 55 dollars

643.50 dollars - 55 dollars = 588.50 dollars

Day 9:Hout Bay, March 9.2010



Dear Diary

Hi! Well at the moment I am outside writing this diary. Well today I woke up late because I was on the phone with my parents last night and they were asking too many questions. Well when I woke up I looked outside and the weather was just perfect. the sun was shining and there was no wind. I decided to go to Hout Bay which is right in front of my hotel. I borrowed towels and swim suits from my hotel for free and went outside. The temperature wasn't too cold and

neither too hot. It was a best weather for swimming and resting. Well right now I am laying down on the soft sand because I am too tired from swimming. Well here, there are a lot of snack stores kind of stores here so I think I am just going to eat my lunch here. Because I haven't talked a lot with people for a long time, I decided to call my friends who live nearby. I called my friend Ryan who lives in Ghana. Well apparently he was going to visit South Africa for few days for the school trip. I gave him my number and we decided to meet up one day and have fun.

Schedule, March 9.2010

1) 11:00AM

Woke up late because of the phone call from my parents.

2) 11:30AM

Ate some chips that I bought last time

3) 12:00PM-1:00 PM

Watching some television, surfing on the internet

4) 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Went to the Hout Bay to swim and rest

5) 5:00 PM

Phone calling to other friends to see how they are doing.

6) 6:00PM

Dinner



Total money used today: food + Phone call to other countries

40 dollars + 10 dollars = 50 dollars

593.50 dollars - 50 dollars = 543.50 dollars

Day 10:Party, March 10.2010



Dear Diary.

Well today I woke up as late as yesterday. I think it was just because of the swimming I did yesterday. Well today I am going to go partying in the Big Red bus. This is what I heard on the radio this morning. It is where people gather up and have a fun party in the bus. Well this bus is going to come near my hotel today so I decided to go there and meet other people. When I went in, the music was so loud that my ears could of popped. South Africa is known for it's party there and the country is called a party country. I saw this when I was on the bus because i saw everyone was having a lot of fun there. The big red bus was going around the parts of Cape Town. I met different people on the bus and had fun there. After the fun party in the bust I decided to eat dinner

with a friend that I made from the bus. He was pure South African, and he could speak fluent english. He introduced me with everyone on the bus. We went to a small restaurant near my hotel and luckily he paid for my dinner. I thanked him and came back to my hotel room and rested here.



Schedule , March 10.2010

1) 11:00 AM

Woke up and took a shower and got dressed for breakfast

2) 12:00 PM

Went to an restaurant for lunch and had a delicious lunch.

3) 12:30 PM

Came back to the room to get ready for the party.

4) 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Party in the Big Red bus. Met a lot of people in the bus.

5) 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Had dinner with the friend i met in the bus.

6) 7:30 PM

Back to the hotel and getting ready to rest.

Total money used today: Drinks + food + bus
20 dollars + 10 dollars + 50 dollars = 80 dollars
543.50 dollars - 80 dollars = 463.50 dollars

Day 11: Friend, March 11.2010



Dear Diary

Today, Finally a day that I will talk a lot to someone. My friend from Ghana was going to visit Cape town for his class trip. Well for them they get about 5 hours of free time to do anything they want to do. Therefore we decided to meet up near my hotel for lunch and do some activities here. Well we met and we went to an African restaurant. The language was not a problem because I had an African friend with me. We ate the traditional African food, Curry. It was very different from

the Curry I used to eat in Korea.

The taste was much more stronger and the smell was stronger as well. After the delicious lunch, we went for a walk around the Hout bay because the weather was good. We walked and talked for few hours and it was time for my friend to leave. Therefore he left at about 5 o'clock and at that time I returned to my hotel for some rest. I am really tired because I

Schedule, March 9.2010

1) 9:00AM

Woke up and took a shower and got ready for breakfast.

2) 10:00AM

Ate a breakfast and ate some chips that I bought last time

3) 10:00AM-11:00 AM

Watching some television, surfing on the internet

4) 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

getting ready to meet my friend and transportation time.

5) 12:00 PM

met up with my friend and went to a restaurant and I paid for the lunch

6) 2:00PM - 5:00 PM

Walk around and talk with my friend.



Total money used today: food for both me and my friend
60 dollars

463.50 dollars - 60 dollars = 403.50 dollars



Day 12-15: Rest, March 12 - 15.2010

Dear Diary

For the past 3 days, I was too tired to do anything else. I needed a break for my health to get better. I stayed at my hotel for the past few days, didn't do anything special, and just ate food at the restaurants at my hotel.

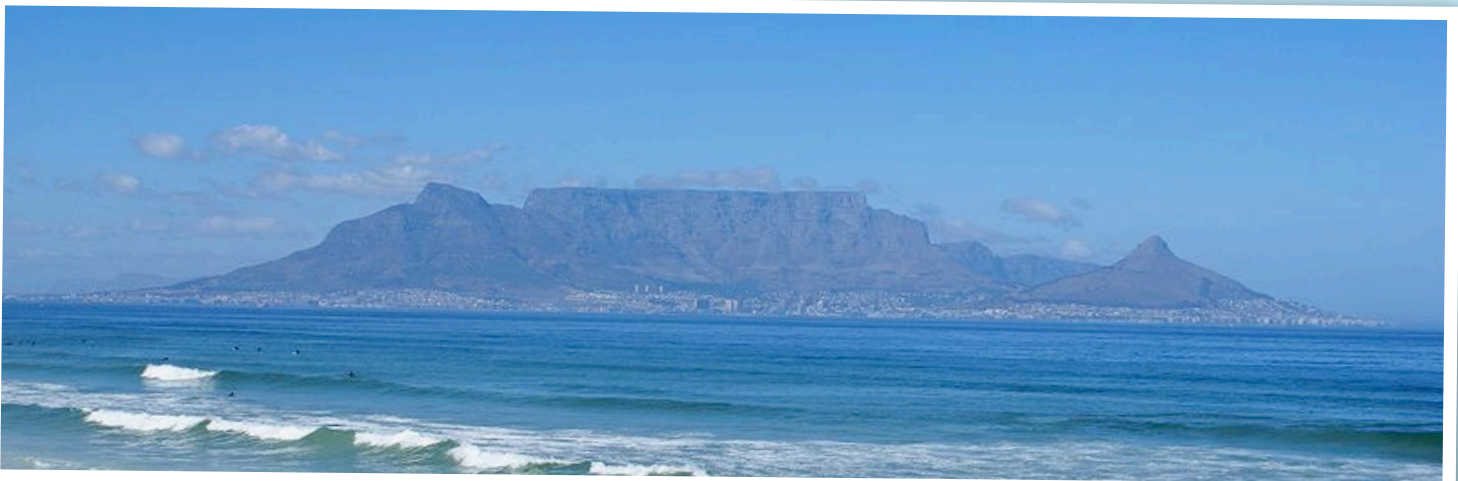


Total money used today: food

60 dollars

$403.50 \text{ dollars} - 60 \text{ dollars} = 343.50$
dollars

Day 16: Table mountain, March 16.2010



Dear Diary

Today, I finally decided to get some exercise, therefore I went to a mountain called Table Mountain. The mountain is located a bit far away from my hotel but there was a bus that was going there so I took the bus. The mountain has a name called Table Mountain because the top of the mountain is flat. There was a cableway that would take me up the mountain therefore I took the cableway up and walked down. I saw many cool things. I saw

the whole city because i was very high up. The weather was clear and good therefore It was best for me to go up to see everything. The ocean color was great.



Schedule March 16.2010

1) 9:00 AM

woke up and got ready to go down stairs to get some food

2) 10:00 AM

came back to the room with some food to eat

3) 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Watched TV and internet surfing

4) 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Hiking to the Table Mountain

Total money used today: Food + bus + cable way

$20 \text{ dollars} + 5 \text{ dollars} + 10.50 \text{ dollars} = 35.50 \text{ dollars}$

$343.50 \text{ dollars} - 35.50 \text{ dollars} = 309.00 \text{ dollars}$

Day 17:language, March 17.2010

AFRIKAANS

Dear Diary

Today I woke up and I didn't have special plans for today. Therefore I decided to sum up what I have done so far today. First of all I counted the money that I have left and calculated going back looking at my journal. Also I wrote down some words that I heard from everyone during the 16 days here. Now I know how to say simple phrases such as asking how they are, saying hello, and things like that. The language that they use here is Afrikaans. I thought it was really similar to english a little bit. Well today I will practice my Afrikaans so that I will be able to talk to people on the streets. Well firstly I learnt

many words from my friend. For example

Hello - Dag / Hallo

Thank you - Dankie

How are you? - Hoe gaan dit met u?

What? - wat?

Who? - wie?

Why? - waarom

When? - Wanneer?

Eggs - eis

Water - water

Food - kos

I learnt this all by myself going around and talking to people at restaurants and parties. I think the language is super hard but I think I will be able to master it if I study on it. Today I didn't do anything but writing and thinking, therefore there is no schedule needed for today. For the past 16 days, I learnt more and more about the language of South Africa, places of it, and people from South Africa.



Total money used today: food
20 dollars

309.00 dollars - 20 dollars = 289.00 dollars

Day 18:Shops, March 18.2010



Dear Diary.

Today I woke up and just found out that I should be going shopping with some money that I have. I heard that the prices here for everything was cheap, but I don't know why I didn't go shopping before hands. So I just came back from shopping and I saw a lot of different things in the market that I went to. There were a lot of grains and also a lot of drum kind of things. I wanted to buy one of the drums but they were too expensive and I could not afford it. I was looking for a souvenir for my parents and I found a perfect one. It was a craft called Ingwe Craft. My parents love to collect things like this so I decided to buy one for them. The price was cheap and therefore I had a great time shopping today.

Schedule , March 18.2010

1) 11:00 AM

Woke up and took a shower and got dressed for breakfast

2) 12:00 PM

Went to an restaurant for breakfast / lunch and ate a lot.

3) 12:30 PM

Came back to the room to get ready to go shopping to a little market

4) 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

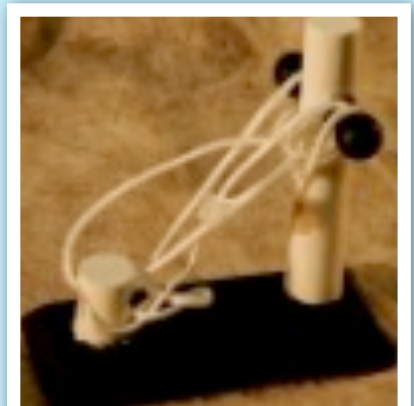
Going to the market walking

5) 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Shopping and looking for a good souvenir.

6) 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Back to the hotel by walking.



Total money used today: Food + souvenir

20 dollars + 50 dollars = 70 dollars

289.00 dollars - 70 dollars = 219.00 dollars



Day 19-22: Rest, March 19-22.2010



Dear Diary

I was a little sick these days so I decided to rest in my Hotel for 3 days. I was going over the pictures I took there and I am going to paste them all here so that I can look back whenever I want to. The schedules were just waking up and eating and resting so I don't have a specific schedule ready.



Total money used today: food

20 dollars \times 3 = 60 dollars

219.00 dollars - 60 dollars = 159.00 dollars

Day 23: Last day, March 23.2010



Dear Diary

Hi! Well this is my last day in Cape Town. Tomorrow I will be going to Johannesburg to see what is there. I think Johannesburg is going to be a lot of fun however I am also going to miss Cape Town. I loved how people were really nice to me and I loved the food here. I hope everything will be the same in Johannesburg. Well today I needed to pack up my things so I spent about 2 hours for going on a walk to the Hout Bay. I loved how the weather was great because I had fun walking around

and I also swam a little because in Johannesburg, it's impossible to swim in an ocean. Therefore I swam and had fun and came back and packed everything that I had brought here because I wasn't going to come back to the hotel anymore. I went down to the reception and thanked them for a wonderful trip. Now all I have to do is finish this diary, go to sleep and tomorrow early in the morning I will go to the airport to go to Johannesburg. The flight is at 5:45 AM so I should be there by 3:00AM.

Schedule, March 23.2010

1) 11:00AM

Woke up late because of the phone call from my parents.

2) 11:30AM

Ate breakfast at a restaurant

3) 12:00PM-1:00 PM

Watching some television, surfing on the internet

4) 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Went to the Hout Bay to swim and rest

5) 3:00 PM~ 5:00 PM

Coming back to the hotel and packing

6) 6:00PM

Dinner and going to sleep early for early wake up tomorrow.

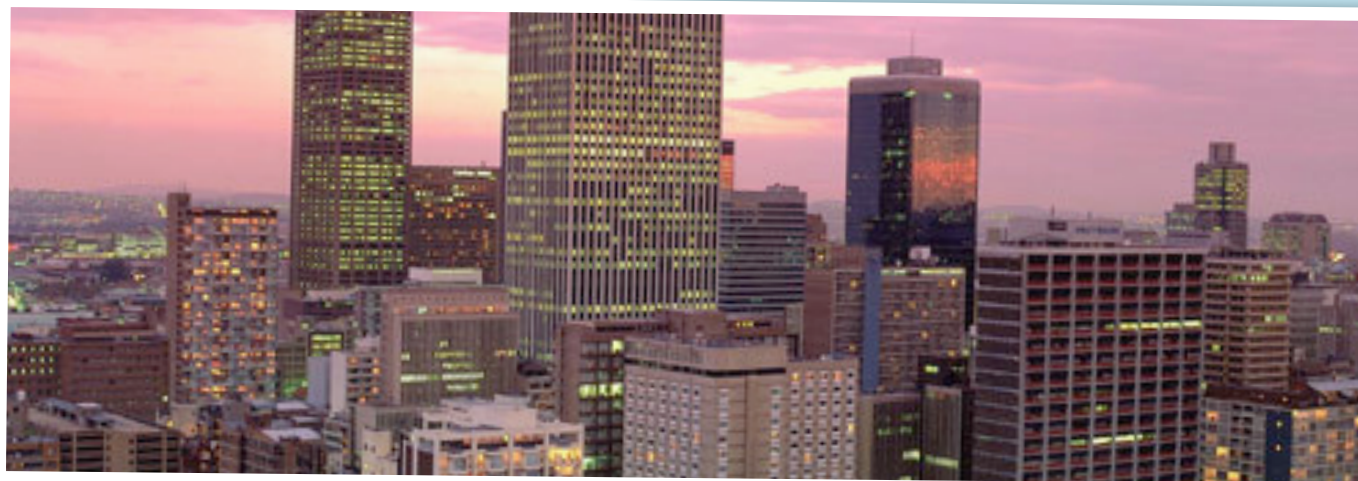


Total money used today: food + Tip for the reception

20 dollars + 10 dollars = 30 dollars

159.00 dollars - 30 dollars = 129.00 dollars

Day 24:Johannesburg, March 24.2010



Dear Diary

After 23 days of heaven in Cape Town, it was finally time for me to go to somewhere else. Today I woke up at 2:00 AM to go to the airport to catch a plane going to Johannesburg. I got to the airport by a bus and waited at the airport sleeping. I got on the plane and the plane took off at about 5:45 AM. I was tired so I slept for the flight which was about 2 hours. After the two hours flight to Johannesburg, I arrived and got on a bus to my motel. I was really tired that I couldn't

think of anything and didn't want to do anything at that time. I came to my hotel, checked in,

slept for about 2 hours and finally I woke up and it was already 2:00PM. I started to walk around the city and saw a lot of things. I didn't spend much money because I knew that I didn't have enough money for the next few days. Therefore I came back to my hotel at about 5:00 and watched television and now i am going to sleep.

Schedule, March 3.2010

1) 2:00 AM

I woke up and washed myself for the plane

2) 2:00AM ~ 3:00AM

Transportation to the airport.

3) 3:00 AM - 7:40 AM

Check in and waiting for the plane and the flight

4) 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Came to the motel from the airport and started to unpack everything..

5) 10:00 AM ~ 2:00 PM

Sleep

6) 2:00 PM ~ 5:00 PM

Walking around the city of Johannesburg

7) 5:00 PM

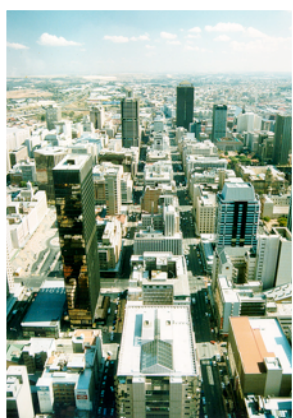
Back in the hotel.



Total money used today: Taxi + food

20 dollars + 15 dollars = 35 dollars

129.00 dollars - 35 dollars = 94 dollars



Day 25:Apartheid, March 25.2010



Dear Diary

This is my second day here in Johannesburg. I like Cape Town better but that doesn't mean that I hate Johannesburg. I really enjoy looking at a country but how the cities are all different. Today I woke up, had breakfast at my hotel, got ready and decided to go to a museum where there are a lot of pictures of the old African history. There were pictures of them fighting against others. The museum was very close from my hotel therefore I walked to the museum. Also the price for entrance was very cheap. I went in and I saw a lot of cool things there. I saw pictures, statues, and some of the guns that was used for the battle ages ago. I was there for a long time and I walked back to my motel and now

I am writing on this diary about today. I like Johannesburg because I can travel around by walking.

Schedule, March 25.2010

1) 9:00 AM

Woke up and got ready to get some cheap breakfast

2) 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Went to a shop and got some very cheap bread.

3) 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

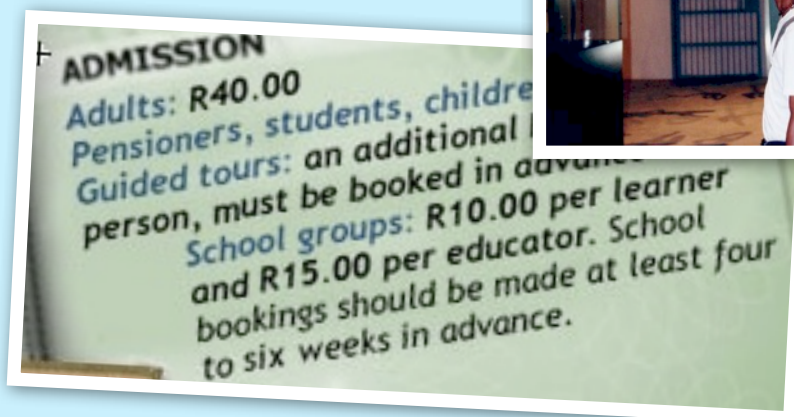
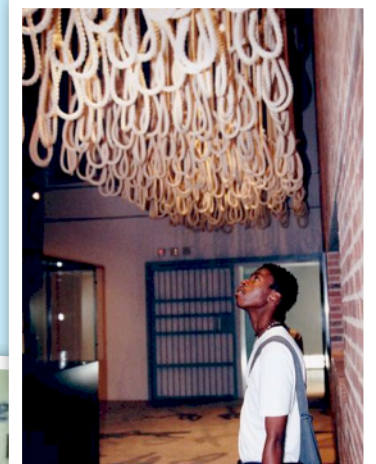
Came back to the motel and walked to the museum.

4) 12:30 PM - 4:30 PM

look around at the museum

5) 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Walking back to the hotel.



Total money used 3 days: Food + ticket

20 dollars + 5 dollars = 25 dollars

94 dollars - 25 dollars = 69.00 dollars

Day 26: Jukskei River, March 26.2010



Dear Diary

So today I woke up late because all the walk from here to the museum and the walk in the museum. Today I went to the Jukskei River which was by my motel. This river is one of the most longest River in Johannesburg. The weather was really good because the sun was shining and it was warm. I walked the path and walked back to my motel. The river was great and the color was beautiful. Tomorrow is

the day of me going back to Korea therefore I will be sleeping early today for a great flight.

Schedule, March 26.2010

1) 11:00 AM

I woke up and washed myself

2) 11:00AM ~ 12:00PM

Watching TV and eating bread.

3) 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Walking by the river looking at the nature.

4) 4:00 PM

Back in the motel getting ready to leave to Korea.



Total money used today: Taxi to the airport + food

20 dollars + 20 dollars = 40 dollars

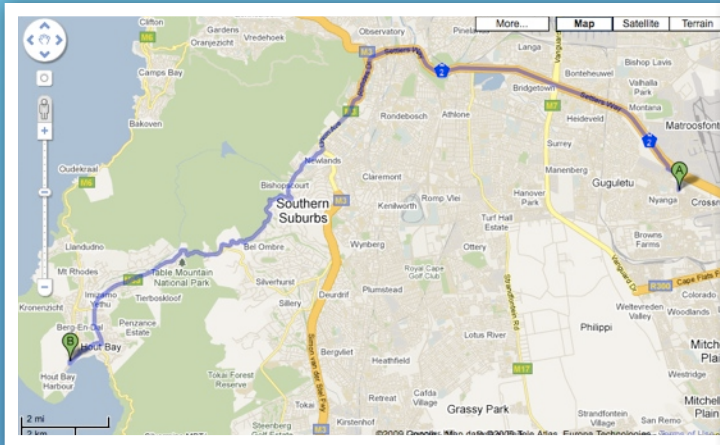
69.00 dollars - 40 dollars = 29.00 dollars

Day 27: Flight Back, March 27.2010

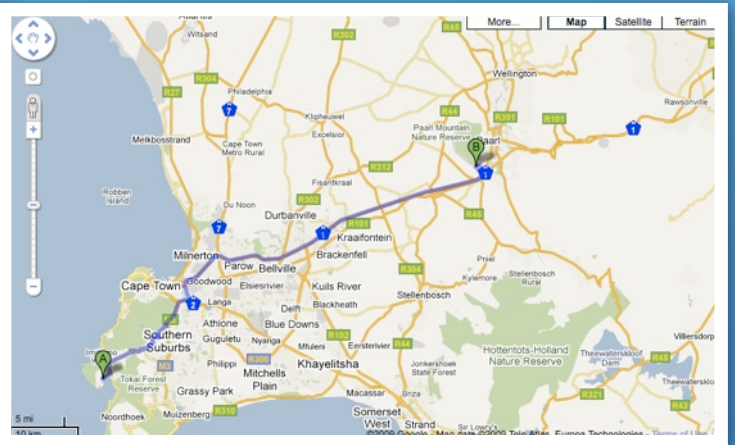


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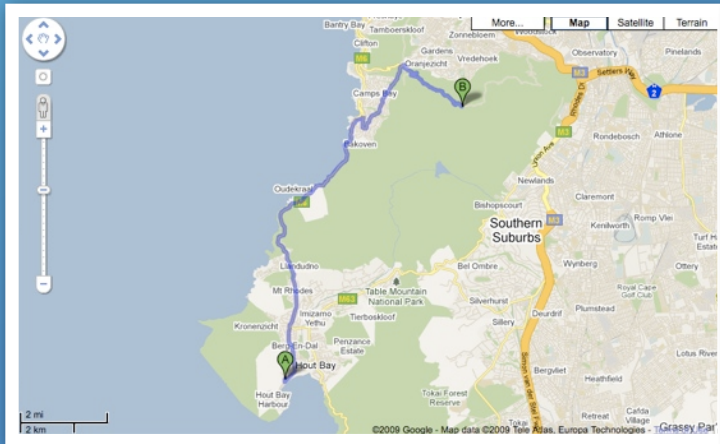
My Travel paths to specific places



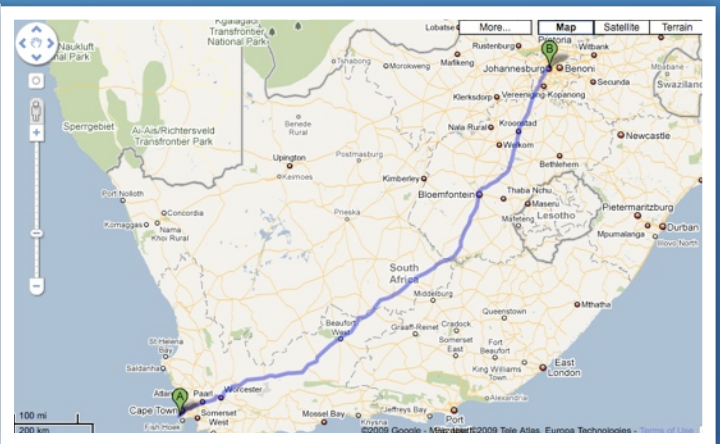
Cape Town : Airport - Hotel



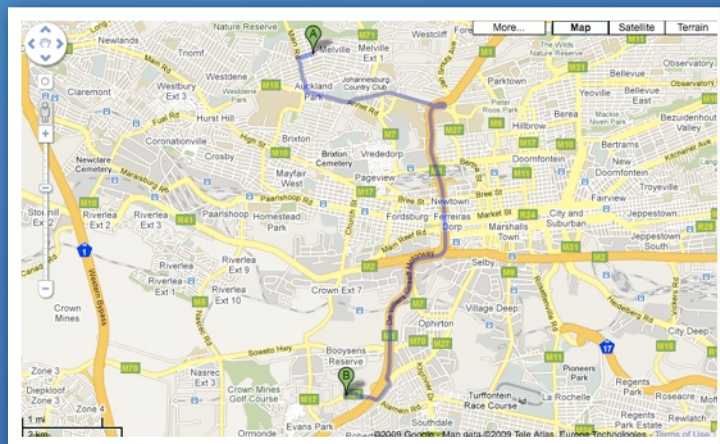
Cape Town : Hotel - Taal



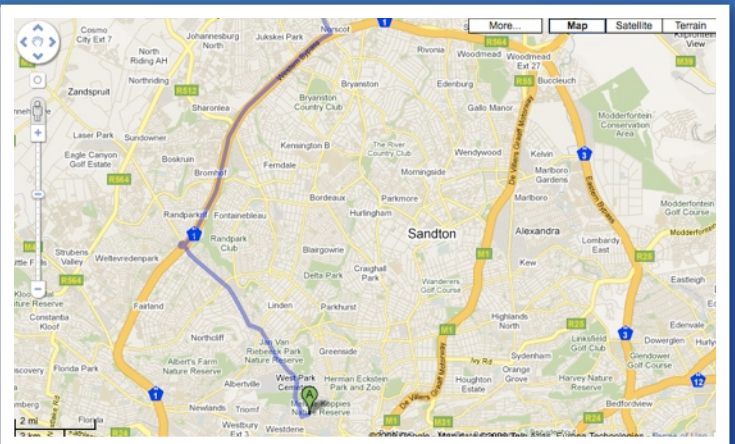
Cape Town : Hotel - Table Mountain



Cape Town - Johannesburg



Johannesburg: Motel - Apartheid museum



Johannesburg: Motel - Tuks River

Why March Time?



Dear Diary

I chose to go to Cape Town, South Africa during March Time because first, March has the best weather in South Africa. It is sunny and perfect for tour. I don't like raining on the day that I will be going to be traveling to another country. The average temperature for March is also

the best. Also During March, there are a lot of festivals going on in Cape Town and Johannesburg. This is significant because if you go to a place and if there are no festival you wouldn't have as much fun. Also the plane tickets for March was much cheaper because during March there are no major breaks

for students. Also Its really ahead of time therefore it is cheaper. We shouldn't go during summer time because there are a lot of schools on break meaning high price for plane tickets. Also the temperature is too high for foreigners.

Average Conditions

Cape Town, South Africa

| Month | Average Sunlight (hours) | Temperature | | | | Discomfort from heat and humidity | Relative humidity | | Average Precipitation (mm) | Wet Days (+0.25 mm) |
|-------|--------------------------|-------------|--------|-----|-----|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----|----------------------------|---------------------|
| | | Average | Record | Min | Max | | am | pm | | |
| Jan | 11 | 16 | 26 | 7 | 37 | Moderate | 72 | 54 | 15 | 3 |
| Feb | 10 | 16 | 26 | 5 | 38 | Moderate | 77 | 54 | 8 | 2 |
| March | 9 | 14 | 25 | 6 | 39 | Moderate | 85 | 57 | 18 | 3 |
| April | 8 | 12 | 22 | 3 | 39 | - | 90 | 60 | 48 | 6 |
| May | 6 | 9 | 19 | -1 | 35 | - | 91 | 65 | 79 | 9 |
| June | 6 | 8 | 18 | -2 | 29 | - | 91 | 64 | 84 | 9 |
| July | 6 | 7 | 17 | -2 | 29 | - | 91 | 67 | 89 | 10 |
| Aug | 7 | 8 | 18 | -1 | 32 | - | 90 | 65 | 66 | 9 |
| Sept | 8 | 9 | 18 | 1 | 34 | - | 87 | 62 | 43 | 7 |
| Oct | 9 | 11 | 21 | 1 | 32 | - | 79 | 58 | 31 | 5 |
| Nov | 10 | 13 | 23 | 4 | 34 | - | 74 | 56 | 18 | 3 |
| Dec | 11 | 14 | 24 | 5 | 38 | Moderate | 71 | 54 | 10 | 3 |

Weather data for Johannesburg

| Month | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Year |
|---------------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Record high °C (°F) | 35 (95) | 34 (93) | 32 (90) | 29 (84) | 26 (79) | 23 (73) | 24 (75) | 26 (79) | 31 (88) | 32 (90) | 33 (91) | 32 (90) | 35 (95) |
| Average high °C (°F) | 26 (79) | 25 (77) | 24 (75) | 21 (70) | 19 (66) | 16 (61) | 17 (63) | 19 (66) | 23 (73) | 24 (75) | 24 (75) | 25 (77) | 22 (72) |
| Average low °C (°F) | 15 (59) | 14 (57) | 13 (55) | 10 (50) | 7 (45) | 4 (39) | 4 (39) | 6 (43) | 9 (48) | 11 (52) | 13 (55) | 14 (57) | 10 (50) |
| Record low °C (°F) | 7 (45) | 6 (43) | 2 (36) | 1 (34) | -3 (27) | -8 (18) | -5 (23) | -5 (23) | -3 (27) | 0 (32) | 2 (36) | 4 (39) | -8 (18) |
| Precipitation mm (inches) | 125 (4.92) | 90 (3.54) | 91 (3.58) | 54 (2.13) | 13 (0.51) | 9 (0.35) | 4 (0.16) | 6 (0.24) | 27 (1.06) | 72 (2.83) | 117 (4.61) | 105 (4.13) | 713 (28.07) |

Source: South African Weather Service ^[16] 2007-07-26

